

SOCIETY:

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Atlantic City for the past month, and have also visited friends in Philadelphia.

Concerning Lady Grey.—Countess Grey and Lady Evelyn Grey, of Canada, who have been the guests of the British Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce in Washington, where they have been much entertained, left Friday for New York.

Lady Evelyn Grey spent a few days in Richmond several years ago as the guest of former Governor Swanson and Mrs. Swanson in the Executive Mansion, when a number of functions were given in her honor.

Know Your City Class.

An interesting feature of the Know Your City Class is the personnel, which represents workers in twenty-five different organizations for social, educational and philanthropic purposes. They are the following: Woman's Club, A. P. V. A., Nurses Settlement, Y. W. C. A., Virginia Historical Society, Daughters of the Confederacy, Federation of Mothers' Clubs, Equal Suffrage League, Retreat for the Sick, Methodist Institution, S. P. C. A., W. C. T. U., Graduate Nurses, Co-operative Club for Working Girls, Public Schools, Day Nursery, Juveniles of Cotton Vint, Co-operative Education Association, Home for Incubables, Associated Charities, Spring Street Home, Instructive Nurses' Association, Southern Industrial Educational Association, State Board of Charities and Correction, Chamber of Commerce, City Hall, State Capitol; in fact, all places where records of the city are to be found are being frequented by women in search of information. It is quite impossible for a social worker to fulfill the task alone, so help must be secured from other organized forces. Equipment for the work, whether it be for the volunteer or a regular in the social army, includes a knowledge of the social conditions, the laws, the public and private organizations of the community in which he works, therefore the continued search.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon from 5:15 to 6:15 o'clock in the Sunday school room of the South Street Christian Church. Mrs. Ryland will be chairman of the day, and the subject is "Municipal Government."

Dinner in New York.

A recent Baltimore exchange contains the following account of a dinner party, where the guests were all well-known celebrities:

"Mrs. T. Nelson Strother has returned to her home at Ruxton from a trip to New York, where she and Mr. Strother were the guests of Count Vincent de Wierzbicki. On Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Strother were among the guests at a dinner given by the Robertson-Smiths, some of the other guests being Prince and Princess Troubetzkoy, the latter formerly Amelie Rivers, and Mrs. George C. Higgs, Mr. and Mrs. August Belmont, the latter formerly Miss Eleanor Robson; and Mrs. Ernest Seton Thompson and Samuel Untermyer. On Monday afternoon Mrs. Strother was one of the guests at a luncheon given by Katharine Kidder, the actress, and on Tuesday afternoon attended a reception given by Mrs. George C. Higgs (Kate Douglas Wiggin)."

The Princess Troubetzkoy has spent the past winter in New York, where she and her husband have occupied a studio apartment. She expects to sail for Europe in May to spend the summer with her late husband's childhood home on Lake Maggiore.

Home Wedding.

A very pretty but quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher Hudson, 102 West Grace Street, last evening at half after 7 o'clock, when Miss Virginia Jones Hudson was married to William Edwin Kendall, formerly of Los Angeles, Cal., now of Washington, D. C.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. V. Downum, rector of All Saints' Episcopal Church, William E. Harbridge, of Washington, attended the groom as best man.

The parlors were beautifully decorated in shades of green and white, and Mrs. Austin Martenstein played the wedding march. The bride entered the drawing-room on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage, and wore a traveling costume of blue cloth and a red and white check, with markers of lilacs of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendall left at once for an extended trip North. Those attending the wedding from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. E. Kendall, of Los Angeles, Cal., father and mother-in-law, the groom, and Captain and Mrs. James S. Sutherland, of Huntington, W. Va.

Invitations Issued.

Invitations have been issued by J. C. Violette, of the age of his daughter, Violet Dora, to her wedding, which is to be solemnized on Monday afternoon, April 17, at 3 o'clock, in St. Peter's Cathedral. Mr. and Mrs. Asher will be at home after April 25 at 2400 Avenue A.

Miss Nora Houston gave an interesting talk last Thursday noon at the Art Club of Richmond on the art and technique of the celebrated Dutch painter, Franz Hals. Her audience was composed of many women who are interested in art, and who were interested in the work.

At 4:30 Mrs. C. Clarke entertained a large gathering with a description of her work in batik, hammered copper, woodwork, leather, tooling and stenciling on fabrics, illustrated by a number of examples of her work.

Following her discourse Mrs. Clarke replied to many questions from her audience and evinced thorough familiarity with the methods and processes involved in the specimens exhibited. Tea was poured by Miss Alice Nelson, Miss Katherine Trautman and Miss Ida Mason.

Next Tuesday Mrs. Clarke will conclude her remarks, and Admiral Webster will read the introduction to a recent work on "Japanese Art and Crafts." The Art School of the club the present year is fully as well attended as at any time in its history, and gives evidence that art as such is no longer an exotic in Richmond.

Meetings This Week.

The Helping Circle of the King's Daughters will meet to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Myrtland Taylor, 2504 Kensington Avenue. All members are asked to attend.

The board of managers of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities will meet on Tuesday morning, April 4, at 11 o'clock, in the rooms of the Virginia Historical Society, 707 East Franklin Street. Every member of the association is expected to be present at this meeting Tuesday morning.

St. Patrick's Benevolent and Social

Society will meet to-morrow evening. A large attendance is desired, as business of great importance will be transacted.

In and Out of Town.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Drexler, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bragg, at 618 North Seventh Street.

Miss Elizabeth Hotchkiss, who has been a recent guest of friends in Norfolk, has returned to Richmond.

Miss Nettie Foster, of Staunton, is spending a few days in Richmond as the guest of Miss Maud Cooke.

Captain and Mrs. J. S. Brooks and two daughters have been recent visitors to relatives in Williamsburg.

Miss Constance Johnson has returned to her home, after visiting relatives in South Carolina.

Mrs. W. A. Loving is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Patrick, of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Miss Hattie Shields has returned from



MRS. WILLIAM EDWIN KENDALL, whose marriage took place yesterday evening in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher Hudson, 102 West Grace Street. Mrs. Kendall was formerly Miss Virginia Jones Hudson. She will make her home in Washington.

an extended visit to friends in the West.

Miss Margaret Chewning and Miss Lucy Gwathmey are in Louisiana for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ellinger, of Newport News, have arrived in the city and will make their home here.

Miss Cally Ryland is spending some time in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Lucius Wombwell is at 291 East Franklin Street, after spending the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Robert S. Powers and Miss Pauline Powers will leave Tuesday for Charlottesville, Va.

Mrs. A. H. Miles and Miss Julia Tyler have returned to Williamsburg, after a brief stay in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Kennon, of "Norwood," are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Julien Binford, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Farrar, of this city, have been visiting Mrs. J. H. Farrar, in Scottsville.

Miss Judith Anderson, who has been the guest of Mrs. C. S. McNulty, in Roanoke, has returned to Richmond.

Miss Louise Haines, of Bowling Green, spent the past week as the guest of Miss Lella Lacy, in this city.

Mrs. Charles Donnelly and Mrs. Jesse Porter have returned to Louisa, after a short visit to Richmond.

Mrs. E. F. Andrews, of Washington, is the guest of Mrs. William Rufin Cox for the morning of the Colonial Dames of Virginia.

Norwood Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Norwood, Va., April 1.—Miss McComie, of Berryville, arrived on Tuesday morning, and was the guest of Mrs. Charles Elliott Carter.

Mrs. Richard Adeock and Mrs. Hancock, of Richmond, are visiting their mother, Mrs. George D. Scruggs.

John D. Hawkins, of Bedford, is visiting friends here.

Robert Banton returned on Monday from a two weeks' stay at the hospital in Lynchburg, where his little child was operated on.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie A. Scruggs and two little daughters are visiting their mother, Mrs. Johnson, of Swords Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom West and Boyd Powers, of Warminster, were the guests of Mrs. J. A. Roberts Sunday.

C. Cabell Robinson visited Lynchburg and Richmond this week.

Miss Maude Cunningham and Effie Cash, who were married at Buckingham Courthouse on Monday. They are now stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Huston Cash, of this place.

Bon Air Social News

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Bon Air, Va., April 1.—Miss George Scott and Mrs. Reid Venable were guests of Mrs. James K. Hazen on Wednesday last.

Miss Annie Kerans has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Talcott, in Richmond.

Miss Mary R. Jones, of Meser, Va., David Ainslie and Neville Montague were the guests last week of Mrs. W. M. Wilthers.

Miss Hazelle Hudspeth has returned to her home in Richmond after a short stay here with Mrs. Robert Bullington. She has been Miss Nell Christian's guest.

Miss Aylife Wherry spent several days recently with Miss Emile Wherry, in Richmond.

Mrs. T. L. P. Cooke, Misses Harriet and Maria Cooke, Charles and Nelson Cooke, returned on Saturday to their home here after a winter spent in Richmond.

Joe Clay Stiles, of Chester, was here Saturday the guest of friends.

Mrs. Charles Robins and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. Norwood Bentley.

Miss Nellie McClure and Miss Anne Kerans are the guests of Miss Hester Riddle in Petersburg.

Mrs. George Talcott was the guest of the Misses Hazen in Petersburg.

Miss Eva Talcott was Mrs. Bullington's guest on Tuesday.

Beaver Dam Social News

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Beaver Dam, Va., April 1.—Mrs. T. P. and two little daughters of Richmond, are visiting Mrs. A. C. Elliott.

Miss Pearl Crawley has returned from a short trip to Ashland.

Miss Bertie Seay and mother made a short

visit to Richmond this week.

Miss Harrie, of Mineral City, is the guest of her brother, Frank Harrie.

George Wash, of Chase City, spent a few days with relatives here last week.

J. A. Elliott was the week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. A. C. Elliott.

Mrs. J. L. Thompson is visiting her son in Fredericksburg.

The Misses Yarbrough, of Richmond, were the week-end guests of Mrs. John Applebee.

Mrs. Tom Wash will leave this week to visit her niece in Missouri.

Joe Phillips, Raymond Moss and Archie Satterwhite will leave the first of the week for Brown's Station.

Miss Jessie Hudson has returned to her home in Staunton after a visit to Miss Kate Thompson.

Mrs. Fatty, of Missouri, is the guest of Mrs. James Hatch.

Miss Gladys Letrich, of King William, is the guest of Mrs. Powell.

Miss Odie Moss was the week-end guest of Miss Hattie Phillips, of Mineral City.

Christiansburg Social News

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Christiansburg, Va., April 1.—Miss and Mrs. A. W. Obenchain and Mrs. Mary Obenchain, of Roanoke, are visiting Mrs. Elias Sheibner.

Miss Phyllis Deaderick, of Blacksburg, spent the week-end here with her sister, Miss Adeline Deaderick.

Mrs. Alan Hunter and his daughter, of Roanoke, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter.

Captain John R. Johnson and A. A. Phisgar, Jr., spent Tuesday in Roanoke.

Services have been conducted at St. Thomas Episcopal Church for two weeks, and the greatest interest aroused in the town. The music has been exceptionally good. The rector, Mr. Meade, has been assisted by Rev. Mr. Nelson, of Blacksburg.

Walter Roberts brought a merry party of young people from Radford in his automobile on Monday.

Mrs. John Stump and Miss Lila Stump, of Radford, are visiting Mrs. A. A. Epperly.

William Pierce has returned to his work at Roanoke College, Salem, after spending a few days with Major and Mrs. Pierce.

Quite a nice sum was realized by the boys and girls for the library fund of the High School from the ice cream served from carret every home in town was visited and few failed to patronize.

Chase City Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Chase City, Va., April 1.—R. Roberts, of Richmond, visited friends here this week.

H. L. Gregory, of Lynchburg, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Marshall Street.

Mrs. James Hardy, who has been visiting relatives in Jeffers, returned to her home Friday.

John Boatwright, of Danville, was here Saturday, and assisted Miss Hester in her general Saturday night.

Mrs. W. H. Lyon, of Greedmore, N. C., spent several days with her sister, Mrs. L. Allen, this week.

Thomas Pleasants and Nat Alexandria, of Boydon, were in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Eddy, who have been visiting friends in Richmond, returned to their home Saturday.

Frank Douglas Henley, of Clarksville, was in town Saturday.

Flem Jeffers visited his father, Captain T. D. Jeffers, this week.

E. L. Roberts spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Edwin Wren Hudson and son are visiting Mrs. Charles Osborne in Keyville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tucker, of Danville, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Belle Pattillo, on Berry Street.

L. W. Paris spent several days out of town this week.

Roy P. Beasley visited his parents in South Boston Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Jones, of Boydon, was in town this week.

Judge W. E. Holmes, of Boydon, was in town this week.

J. E. Burden, of Reddick, visited friends in town this week.

South Boston Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

South Boston, Va., April 1.—An approaching spring wedding of unusual interest to society is that of Miss Ella G. Waddy, of Norfolk, and Dr. I. Keith Briggs, of South Boston. The marriage will take place Wednesday, May 24, at 8 o'clock in the evening, at the First Presbyterian Church, Norfolk.

The Rev. Mr. Whaling, D. D., will officiate. The bride-elect is quite an attractive young woman, is well known here, where she has visited on several occasions, and is the daughter of a prominent physician and surgeon of this place.

Her father, Dr. Beazley, the veteran editor, who has been her friend since yesterday to receive the hearty congratulations and "many happy returns," having reached the seventieth anniversary of his birth, is the president of the Press Association, and has from early manhood, been actively engaged in church and temperance work.

Mrs. B. S. Bronson, of New York, is spending some time with her husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. Faulkner, during the summer she will reside in Warrenton, N. C.

Mrs. W. W. Wilkerson, of Lacrosse, is visiting her friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. East, at this place.

Miss Sadie Cousins, of near Richmond, is visiting Miss Myrene McKinnon.

Mrs. R. J. Carter, Mrs. W. T. Carter and Mercer Carter, of Danville, were guests of relatives in South Boston this week.

Miss Nancy Carrington, who has been the guest of Mrs. T. E. Armstrong, has returned to her home in Lexington.

Mrs. E. M. Penick, who has been on a very pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. W. B. Penick, in Lynchburg, has returned.

Miss Nannie Quarles, of Hallsboro, is the guest of friends here.

Miss Ellen D. Moore, who is spending some time in Henric county, also visited this place this week.

Mrs. O. B. Barker, of Lynchburg, is visiting at the home of her brother, Tyner C. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lawson and Mrs. A. H. Vaughan are spending a few days in Richmond.

Mrs. M. Morton, of Clarksville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Fry.

Louisa Social News

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Louisa, Va., April 1.—Miss Lucy Gwathmey, of this city, is visiting Captain and Mrs. F. V. Winston, at "Bengoli."

Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Miss Mary Aston Mills and John Hudson Winston, to take place at the home of the bride, near here, Wednesday afternoon, April 19.

Rev. W. O. Petty, has returned to his home here after teaching the past season in North Carolina.

Mrs. William Flannagan has been called to Roanoke by the illness there of her son, Henry Flannagan.

Rev. Mr. Henning, of Richmond, preached in the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Misses Alma and Mabel Flannagan spent several days in Richmond recently.

Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Miss Margaret Buchanan Goodman, to Walter Douglas Chiles, to take place April 14 at Gilboa Christian Church, Cuckoo, Va.

Chastine Longan has returned from a trip to Richmond, Washington and New York.

Chatham Social News

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Chatham, Va., April 1.—Miss Almeyda Tredway entertained a large party of friends at forty-two Tuesday night. Following the game refreshments were served.

Miss Hattie Patterson returned recently from a very pleasant visit with relatives near Norfolk.

Mrs. C. L. D. D. also explain the value of D. D. D. as a household remedy.

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Social Side of Washington

BY GRACE PORTER HOPKINS.

Washington, D. C., April 1.—The question of the country's preparedness or unpreparedness according to the point of view of the speakers, ceased to be the only topic of conversation after the announcement of Russia's ultimatum to China, and the so-called "resurrection of Delecluse" in French political circles—events which warned Europe to look home instead of abroad for immediate breakers.

Then, too, Sir Edward Grey's remarkable speech in favor of President Taft's arbitration policy is commented upon wherever two or three international statesmen are gathered together for an after-dinner smoke, while miladies of the party revert to the wedding of the Countess von Bernstorff.

Not the least noteworthy part of the speech mentioned over the tea-table, was the fact that such a generous utterance should have emanated from one who has so long been in the atmosphere of dead tradition.

The British Foreign Office, of which Sir Edward has been many years the secretary, is intended to be the official word of the official word expects to hear more anon in the plan for a great national demonstration to be held in the United States. It is intended to be a national approval of his overtures for a rapprochement with Germany.

A vested choice of fort many boys, singing the Bridal Chorus from "Lohengrin," led the bridal procession to the left aisle of the quaint Cordia German Lutheran Church, followed by four groomsmen, two in the full uniform of their rank in the diplomatic corps, and two in conventional afternoon dress, each with a beaver clutched in his hand.

Count Portales walked next, escorted by Mrs. James Meyer, law, the Countess von Bernstorff, and the German custom. The four bridesmaids, Miss Mary Southernland, and Miss Cecelia May—in bewitching pink and blue chiffon gowns trimmed with garlands of pink satin roses—according to the design of a former Washington society girl, Miss Maud Converse, of the German Embassy (Converse), immediately preceded the bride, who came in leaning on the arm of her father, who, like the bridegroom, was in full uniform.

The bride, a pretty brown-haired woman of twenty-two, wore the conventional bride dress of white satin and a real lace veil about five yards long, the tulle ensemble differing from that which she wore in Washington, in that the gown was slightly low-necked.

She carried a full length regent's court train, a fact which many took to mean that the youthful bride would attend the coronation of the King of the Queen of the Netherlands, Prince and Princess of Wales, during her father's connection with the German Embassy in London.

Her wreath, following the German custom, was myrtle, and her bouquet, of lilacs of the valley and orchids, paid tribute to the bride's fondness for things German-American.

The clouds which had overcast the sky early in the day were dispelled in time for the wedding, and never did the sun shine more joyously on a newly-married couple. It was as though nature had joined with the official world in giving them a happy send-off on the voyage of life, and by every omen the new Countess of Portales would be a wonderfully contented woman in her mature years.

The President and Mrs. Taft did not remain long at the wedding reception which followed at the German Embassy, but returned for a quiet dinner at the White House, and then went to see Laurette Taylor as Cleo in "The King of the Hens." Dr. and Mrs. Butte, of Ohio, and Major and Mrs. Archie, who followed a party to meet her at dinner and then took the company to see fascinating Billie Burke in "Suzanne," Dr. and Mrs. Thos. Nelson Page acting as chaperons for both occasions.

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